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Customer No. 30734

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Application of:)
Peilong TAN, et al.)
Application No.: To be determined) International Application:
) PCT/CN2004/001195
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For: METHOD FOR DYNAMIC) October 21, 2004
BANDWIDTH ALLOCATION IN)
PASSIVE OPTICAL NETWORK)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits in this application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.